

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the heading at page 2, line 16, with the following rewritten version:

Summary of the Invention Disclosure of the Invention

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 20, with the following rewritten version:

According to a first aspect of the present invention, the The electric insulation device of an air conditioner divided into an indoor unit and an outdoor unit ~~disclosed in claim 1~~ serves to electrically insulate connection lines that serve to connect refrigerant lines of the indoor unit and refrigerant lines of the outdoor unit and circulate refrigerant, from the refrigerant lines of the indoor unit or the refrigerant lines of the outdoor unit, and includes a refrigerant line connection portion, a connection line connection portion, and an insulation portion.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 16, with the following rewritten version:

According to a second aspect of the present invention, the The electric insulation device of an air conditioner ~~disclosed in claim 2 is the device of claim 1 of the first aspect of the present invention is provided~~, in which a terminal portion on which an electric connection line is mounted in order to transmit electric signals from the indoor unit and the outdoor unit to the connection lines is arranged between the connection line connection portion and the insulation portion.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 25, with the following rewritten version:

According to a third aspect of the present invention, an ~~An~~ air conditioner disclosed in claim 3 includes an indoor unit, an outdoor unit, connection lines, and electric insulation devices disclosed in claims 1 or 2 of the first or second aspect of the present invention. The connection lines connect the refrigerant lines of the indoor unit and the refrigerant lines of the outdoor unit, and circulate refrigerant. The electric insulation devices are respectively arranged between the refrigerant lines and the connection lines of the indoor unit, and between the refrigerant lines and the connection lines of the outdoor unit.

Please replace the heading at page 4, line 14, with the following rewritten version:

Preferred Embodiments of the Invention ~~Best Mode of Carrying out the Invention~~

Please replace the heading at page 11, line 1, with the following rewritten version:

What is Claimed is: Claims